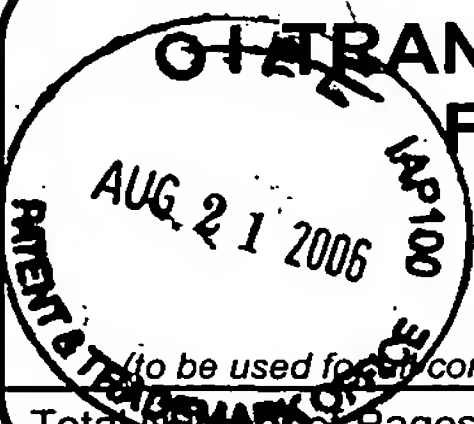
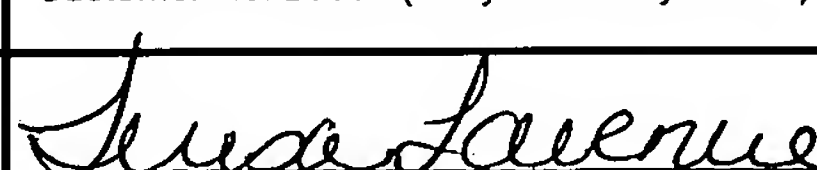


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Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed June 23, 2006, prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

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